



**PATENT  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
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For: METHOD OF TREATMENT OF  
ENDOTHELIAL DYSFUNCTION AND  
ENGINEERED PROTEINS FOR SAME

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**ELECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 3.71 AND 3.73  
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